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For: A POWER PLANT OPERATION CONTROL SYSTEM AND A POWER PLANT
MAINTAINING AND MANAGING METHOD

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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Rate	Additional Fee
X 25	\$
X 100	\$
X 180	\$
Total	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
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X 200	\$800
X 360	\$
Total	\$800.00

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.

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